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Jock's Waggin' Tongue

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They just will come back and buy where they get satisfaction as well as service. Jack Hewarton took his service car to the Garage and said this and says this if this is as good as the six he will probably be back for 8. Some day.

Wm. Penn and North Stars Oils and Greases "Still the Best".

The new Philo Electric Radios are now on display, come in and hear a real radio.

A real hay 'n' a Power Blader at \$75.00.

My season is here, purchase hay by foot and save money at our place.

Stately half bush is especially having trouble to win the Arcadia Cup and it goes this way from Champion.

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Try our Vienna Bread, also Rye, Brown and wrapped made in your own town.

Birthday and Wedding Cakes made to order.

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Chelsea and Bath Buns

Only the best of butter used in our baking

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Binder Whips, good quality, each	25c
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Get your Radio in shape for the election returns	
No. 486 Eveready 45 volt Batteries, each	\$3.95
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Seventeenth Annual Conference

At the seventeenth annual conference of Little Bow Constituency of A. W. I., held in the Community hall, Champion, on Wednesday, August 7th, Mrs. A. A. McQuarrie, Barons, was elected Constituency convener to succeed Mrs. J. D. Hagerman, Kirkaldy retiring officer. The seventy-five members in attendance at the conference were honored by the presence of two federal members, Mrs. J. P. Ferguson, Estcourt, and Mrs. F. G. Grevett, Calgary. On the platform also were Mrs. M. L. Thompson, Constituency district director; Mrs. J. D. Hagerman, past district director; and Mr. C. E. Acock, Convenor of the invention which was given to Mrs. Acock, an address of welcome from the mayor, Mr. J. H. Higgins, was read by the secretary, Mr. Higgins commended the Institutes for having maintained the interest of their members through these difficult years by their educational programs, and other activities of the organization. Mrs. J. N. Beaupre, past Provincial president, in an informal speech, made the delegates welcome to Champion as to a long family gathering. Mrs. J. Marshall, Vulcan, replied on behalf of the visiting delegates. Community singing which interspersed the reading of reports, was led by Mrs. M. L. Ford, Thigh Hill, accompanied by Mr. R. G. Clements, Kirkaldy. Vocal solos were rendered by Mr. A. S. Robins, Burns, Rev. Peter Dawson and Mr. Joe McNaughton, Champion, others a musical monologue by Alice Beverly, Rosetta, dances, providing pleasant intermissions on the business program. Outstanding reports were given by the chairman of standing committees, especially Education and Better Schools, by Mrs. A. J. Kennedy.

Mrs. Hagerman, Constituency convener, reported interest and enthusiasm in the branches, and urged all who could to attend the district and provincial conferences. Reference was made to the Home Bureau Service, of which Miss Isabel Alexander is the newly appointed director.

Mrs. M. L. Thompson, district director, speaking on "The Power of Emotion", traced the changed conditions and the attitude of man toward woman-kind from the earliest ages until she had now reached the dual goal of comradeship with equal rights. "Women has passed her test in Red Cross, Protection of Nursing, Adoption of Nurses, Child Labor and Slums, Prison Reform, the cause of Temperance, Salvation Army, etc. The future centre of power is in woman. Education is the ideal, and such a force cannot be checked. Women are accepting the challenge today" said Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. F. G. Grevett, who spoke on the high lights of the Federated convention, took her listeners in fancy on a trip to the beauties of Prince Edward Island with its historic environment.

Mrs. J. P. Ferguson, Provincial president, in a bright and entertaining address dwelt on the lighter side of the Convention.

For the election of officers, Mrs. Thompson presented Mrs. Hagerman, the returning convener, with the gift of a charming little eight day clock on behalf of the con-

stituents and in token of their appreciation of her services Mrs. Hagerman feelingly expressed her thanks and her enjoyment of the three years in office.

The following chairmen of standing committees were elected for the ensuing year: Education and Better Schools—Mrs. A. J. Kennedy, Vulcan. Legislation—Mrs. J. D. Hagerman, Kirkaldy. Agriculture and Canadian Industries—Mrs. S. B. Brown, Good Deeds. Home Economics—Mrs. Norman Eskridge, Lomond. Co-operation and Immigration—C. G. McQuarrie, Vulcan. Child Welfare and Public Health—Mrs. J. Chester, Barons. League of Nations—Mrs. M. L. Ford, Thigh Hill. Unemployment—Mrs. C. L. Kuykendall, Vulcan.

An interesting display of handicraft was on exhibit under the supervision of Mrs. Urlich and Mrs. Watkins.

Champion and Thigh Hill branches were hostesses to the delegates and visitors at ten, served in the lower hall at the conclusion of the Conference.

An invitation to meet in Vulcan next year was accepted.

Loses Car and Equipment in Forest Fire

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Hopkins, Jack Hopkins and Harold Bach had a very interesting but sad experience last week while spending a few days at Slide Lake, fishing. One morning they left their camp and went to the head of the lake and after a few hours fishing were astounded to notice a fire approaching which completely shut them off from their car and camp. They were forced to take and after climbing Old Ch of mountain found shelter for the night at a Ranger cabin 9 miles from the scene of the fire. During the night the fire was close behind. Next day they walked 12 miles to a relief camp where a friend of Mr. Hopkins transported them to Carlton. From there they were driven to their home in Champion by G. L. Lachlan. Their car, camp equipment and clothing were completely destroyed. Upon their arrival at their home they received a telephone message from R. Harper of Lethbridge, who with his party was also camped at Slide Lake, stating that the fire had started at a cabin occupied by C. C. C. agents, who were absent, and before they were forced to abandon the scene of the camp, every effort had been made to extinguish the fire but their efforts were in vain and they were forced to depart to protect themselves.

By-Law Under Full Discussion

A meeting was held in the Community hall on August 12th for the purpose of discussing the proposed by-law regarding the services of a Municipal doctor or doctors for the Harmony district which embraces nine townships, Councillor Long presided and outlined the proposition and explained the necessity of entering into a new contract and one that would serve the whole district in the matter of medical attention and not only those who were unable to pay for these services as under the last arrangement. Dr. Freeze who has been medical officer for the town and district, for many years, explained the scheme very comprehensively and expressed his willingness to co-operate with the council in every possible way.

Champion Theatre

Wednesday, August 21st

"College Rhythm"

With

Joe Penner, Lanny Ross, Jack Oakie and The all American Co-eds.

See and hear these Radio Stars and Joe Penner's duck.

Wednesday, August 21st Show at 8.30

REWARD WHEAT

Last year our Reward wheat was degraded from No. 1 and from No. 1 Hard down to lower grades for the reason that a percentage of the kernels showed a brown or green color. This discolouration, it has been found, was caused by the natural winter dormancy of the grain. Apparently Marquis and Gassett can be cut when slightly green. Reward, however, cannot. Farmers are recommended, therefore, to consider allowing their fields of Reward to ripen thoroughly before being cut.

SEARLE GRAIN COMPANY, LIMITED, WINNIPEG

Social Credit League



Rev. Peter Dawson

The Social Credit Candidate
for
Little Bow

will address a meeting in

CHAMPION
Community Hall

Aug. 21st at 8.30 p.m.

Vote

Peter Dawson, Clergyman

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Social Credit Campaign Committee Little Bow Constituency

HOME BAKERY

Support local industry and buy the only bread and cakes made daily in Champion

Carry Off Cup

On Sunday, August 11th the Champion "Red Sox" motored to St. Vrain to play a double-header against that club for the Arcadia cup. They were successful in winning both games and therefore in bringing home the cup. In the first game Champion won 15 to 4 and in the second game the score was 11 to 5 again in favor of the "Red Sox". Batteries for the first game were as follows: Champion—Stevens and Doyle and Ray. For the second game, Champion—Walker and Hangraves, Stavely—Hart and Doyle. Champion batters were in great form as the scores would indicate, two home runs being hit by Dick Latiff, one in each game. Numerous errors were made by both teams.

TRAVEL

BARGAINS

To Nelson, Revelstoke and West to

PACIFIC

COAST

Aug. 22 to 30

CHOICE OF TRAVEL
in COACHES - TOURIST
or STANDARD SLEEPERS

For slightly higher for Tourist or
Standard Sleepers in addition
to usual berth charges

RETURN LIMIT 21 DAYS
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For Fare, Train Service, etc.
Apply Ticket Agent

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Enjoy the Best Tea

"SALADA"

TEA

Nature Upsets Man's Plans

Harvest time in Western Canada has again arrived and for the next few weeks great activity, from early morning till late at night, will be the rule right across these western plains. Fighting severe blizzards and snowstorms, in addition to the usual toils of the field to dash, and consequently lack of resources on the part of tens of thousands of farmers to seed and harvest a crop this year, governments and municipalities, banks, mortgage, loan and implement companies made provision where farmers were supplied with feed, fodder, seed, gas and oil, machinery repairs, binder twine and other implements to the seed and harvesting of a crop. Each individual farmer had to have his crop harvested in time to be cleared, but, speaking generally, the needs of the association were fairly well met.

Taking the country as a whole, and excepting certain more or less restricted areas, copious rains have fallen throughout the growing season, following a somewhat late seeding. Up to a few weeks ago prospect was not good, but now, in addition to the usual toils of the field to dash, and consequently lack of resources on the part of tens of thousands of farmers to seed and harvest a crop this year, governments and municipalities, banks, mortgage, loan and implement companies made provision where farmers were supplied with feed, fodder, seed, gas and oil, machinery repairs, binder twine and other implements to the seed and harvesting of a crop. Each individual farmer had to have his crop harvested in time to be cleared, but, speaking generally, the needs of the association were fairly well met.

But now the bright picture became clouded as rust made its appearance in the wheat fields, coming in from the southeast and spreading rapidly westward and northward. Governments, financial concerns, economic planners, farmers, every human agency is powerless against this development of Nature. For years technical agricultural experts, chemists and scientists employed by Governments have been seeking a means to set the ravages of rust and to develop a strain of wheat that will be rust-resistant. Now, this year has denied all their efforts, and it is now self-evident that Western farmers will sustain heavy losses through the effect of rusted crops.

Estimates of the loss through rust already run as high as 100,000,000 bushels of wheat, and the loss will be greater, and, of course, the actual loss can not be known until the harvest is completed. On many farms, even in some municipalities, no wheat will be harvested.

There is no desire to be alarmist in reviewing this situation. Notwithstanding the inroads by rust upon what a few weeks ago was one of the most promising crops in many years, the general agricultural situation is described as being good. The wheat crop in the West, the grain areas of the West, which recently produced a record crop, is in good condition. Feed and fodder formerly lacking is now available. Garden crops are generally reported to be good. But the big cash crop of the West, wheat, will be smaller and of decidedly less value than was hoped for and expected a few weeks ago.

The whole country must face this unfortunate fact and meet it to the best of its ability. No human agency can be held responsible for the losses sustained. It was beyond Governments, corporations, and individuals alike to prevent. All will be included in the losses sustained—Governments through loss of revenues and the necessity of raising taxes; through loss of trade and therefore loss of revenue; railway companies, insurance companies and other employees, including farm laborers, through less employment; financial concerns to whom money for advances made is owing but which cannot be paid as fully as was anticipated; grain companies, more especially because the returns for this year's labors are swept away or very largely reduced. In a word, no one in the financial, industrial, or social system is responsible for the heavy losses the country is sustaining. Nature and conditions developed under its inexcusable laws are the sole cause.

But Nature is not always unkind. In the long run it always strikes a fair balance. Its laws operate not for one year, but throughout cycles of years. Man's efforts to restrain Nature are not good, but good, if properly conducted. There is no good end to be served by heroic despatched war against Nature. There is only one courageous thing to do, and that is to face the situation and the problems presented. Losses to-day will be compensated for by gains to-morrow. That is a law of Nature. Therefore, the future should be faced with courage and determination. Life is a battle and must be fought. Man could not exist on "evergreen beds of ease." If he is to succeed, he must be willing to face the difficulties and the trials. He must be self and climb, battling against all obstructions in his way, eradicating the weeds that cling and clog his steps, removing weaknesses and strengthening the ladder. Climbing he will become stronger; crouching at the foot of the ladder, waiting for somebody to carry him up, he will become shabby and weak and eventually succumb. Courage and determination, which will bring confidence, is essential to success in any walk of life. And in the long run Nature will not bar the way, rather it will be found helpful and co-operating.

Wood Ready For Use

Germany Has Treatment To Season Trees While Growing

Telegraph poles, railway ties and other heavy wood necessities may be grown to order by a treatment which has just been discovered in Germany. Trees are made to season themselves so that when cut they are ready for immediate use. A bore hole is made in the tree trunk, and a special chemical solution containing arsenic and other salts is injected into the living tree. These chemicals are absorbed by the tree and are gradually carried to the ends of the highest branches. The tree does not survive the treatment very long, but as it dies it becomes thoroughly saturated with preservative and can be used in railroads or for telegraphs and telephones without any of the usual treatment.

Serves Double Purpose

Balloon Which Turns Into Parachute Tested Near Moscow

A "parachute balloon," designed to change its form in the air and to descend as a parachute, has made its first experimental flight from the field of the government dirigible factory in Moscow.

The pilots, Modestov and Lisen, were ordered to ascend 10,000 feet, then to open the valve, permitting the gas to escape.

The purpose of the bag is designed to fold up when the balloon is inflated, and the bag gradually takes the form of a parachute.

Keep cast-iron work in good condition by rubbing with blacklead.

Beer was made by the Egyptians 5,000 years ago.

TRYING FOR NEW RECORD

Speed Of 300 MPH. Is Sir Malcolm Campbell's Aim

A circus of record breaking under the boiling sun on Utah's salt desert, planned as the greatest show in the history of automobile speed racing, was opened yesterday by Sir Malcolm Campbell and Captain George Eyston, Britain's swiftest drivers.

The speed kings announced their plans—to sail together, Sir Malcolm to shoot again at the record of 300 miles an hour, and the veteran blue bird, Eyston to tackle every mark between that one and 24 hours.

Filled with glowing accounts of the Bonneville salt flats surface by his son, John, Campbell, who has set 21 new records there, Campbell is confident that old Lady Bluebird, the six-ton thunder wagon that roared to the present land speed record of 276.816 on the sands of Daytona Beach last winter, finally will carry him to 300 miles an hour in 12 seconds—300—300 miles an hour.

"I'm sure I'll beat 300 this time," Campbell said. "Then I'll chuck racing and stick to business."

The veteran racing engineer who has no challenger to-day for speed over a measured mile has made a few alterations in the Bluebird since his return from Florida.

Captain Eyston who in the past year has set 200 miles an hour marks, and by other drivers will alternate record tries with Campbell. Eyston will drive a famous looking front-drive juggernaut, powered with a 400-horsepower Rolls Royce engine. The Bluebird has a 50-gallon range of gasoline, giving it a 100-mile range without refueling. Eyston believes he can average 160 miles an hour or higher for 24 hours and is bringing Albert Denny along to drive refuel.

Fingerprints By Radio

EXPERIMENTS HAVE SHOWN GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN RESULTS OBTAINED

Transmission of fingerprints by radio is the latest link between science and law enforcement, a link that is being more and more followed by Scotland Yard every day.

Experiments were begun several months ago. Although not yet regarded as an every day practical business, considerable improvement has been made in the radio of a photo-electric cell.

At first the images were blurred, but when cast on enlarged prints, great accuracy was obtained.

The time is very near when in urgent cases, portable apparatus will be used to transmit fingerprints direct from the scene of the crime to Scotland Yard records, it was predicted.

As the technique of wired and radio transmission improves, it will be possible to send life-size finger prints photographs speedily over any distance, prints being taken quantitatively with the aid of a photo-electric cell.

The present machine screens out the ultraviolet or "blue" rays in the spectrum and measures them quantitatively with the aid of a photo-electric cell.

SEES MARK IN BRITAIN

OPPORTUNITY FOR EXPORT OF TUBER-CULIN-FRESH CATTLE FROM CANADA

Prevalence of bovine tuberculosis in Great Britain provides a great opportunity for Canadian cattle breeders to develop a large market for their cattle.

Dr. Stephens, member of the British Medical Association, representing party said at Toronto before entraining for Winnipeg, Dr. Stephens is an alderman of Swanses, South Wales, and has been studying the tuberculin test in Great Britain since his return from a tour of Great Britain to study the tuberculin test.

Dr. Stephens stated, "Canada's development in recent years has shown this can be reduced. For this reason and because opinion in Great Britain is strongly in favor of the tuberculin test, I believe a wonderful opportunity exists to benefit both Canadian cattle-breeders and the British people."

A MODERN SAMSON

NATIVE OF INDIA EARNES NICKNAME WITH HIS FEATS

N. K. Modli of Dumka, Bihar, India, has earned for himself—with good reason—the nickname of "Samson." He is one of the feats of strength in the country.

Killed a tiger single-handed, arm only with a stick;

Killed a buffalo by twisting its horn till its neck broke;

Put to flight, by himself, a gang of 100 men, including his servant, who fell upon a woman he was just in time to catch the man's left ankle with one hand as he disappeared over the edge, and he hauled him back with ease into safety.

Surplus Royal Nations

New Zealand, Australia, Denmark,

Netherlands, Canada, Italy, and

Switzerland appear to be the world

surplus dairy nations. The United

Kingdom is the world market, sup-

plying the United States, Ger-

many, and Belgium in cheese, and by

a number of nations in condensed

and evaporated milk.

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around Chicago.

Making Progress

"Son," wrote a busy father, "imagine Benjamin Franklin, who said 'To learn the value of money, borrow it!'

In due time the boy at college replied, "Dad, I am as you suggested. Borrowed \$50 from my greatest. What do I do next?"

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Rattlesnakes add from two to

three "rattles" annually, and some-

times four.

Four hundred years are required

by nature to build one inch of top

soil, according to recent estimates.

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